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## INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in Director's  
Conference Room, Administration Building  
Central Intelligence Agency, on 23 February 1954

Director of Central Intelligence  
Allen W. Dulles  
Presiding

### MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. Fisher Howe, acting for Special Assistant for Intelligence,  
Department of State  
Brigadier General John M. Willems, acting for Assistant Chief  
of Staff, G-2, Department of the Army  
Rear Admiral Carl F. Espe, Director of Naval Intelligence,  
Department of the Navy  
Major General John A. Samford, Director of Intelligence,  
Headquarters, United States Air Force  
Brigadier General Edward H. Porter, Deputy Director for  
Intelligence, The Joint Staff  
Dr. Charles H. Reichardt, Atomic Energy Commission  
Representative to the IAC  
Mr. Victor P. Keay, acting for Assistant to the Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

### ALSO PRESENT

Lt. Gen. Charles P. Cabell, Central Intelligence Agency  
Mr. Huntington Sheldon, Central Intelligence Agency

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Mr. William B. Macomber, Department of State

Mr. Joseph Yager, Department of State

\* Mr. E. W. Doherty, Department of State

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**Lt. Colonel Vasco J. Fenili, Department of the Army**  
**Lt. Colonel R. L. Kolb, Department of the Army**  
**Captain Allan L. Reed, USN, Department of the Navy**  
**Mr. Lawrence Healey, Department of the Navy**  
**Colonel Donald H. Ainsworth, United States Air Force**  
**Colonel Robert Totten, United States Air Force**  
**Colonel John J. Morrow, United States Air Force**  
**Mr. Donald F. Benjamin, United States Air Force**  
**Rear Admiral E. T. Layton, The Joint Staff**  
**Colonel Samuel M. Lansing, The Joint Staff**  
**Colonel John G. Ondrick, The Joint Staff**  
**Colonel John E. Leary, The Joint Staff**  
**Captain Ray E. Malpass, USN, The Joint Staff**

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**Secretary**

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Approval of Minutes  
(IAC-M-141, 16 February)

1. Action: Approved.

Soviet Bloc Capabilities  
for Economic Warfare (NIE 10-54)

2. Action: Approved as amended.

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G-2 Proposal for an Estimate  
with Respect to Southeast Asia  
(See IAC-M-141, para. 8)

4. Action: Agreed to schedule the estimate, provided the assumptions are first cleared with the JCS or the Joint Planners. The Deputy Director for Intelligence, The Joint Staff, undertook to obtain such clearance prior to IAC working level consideration.

Dept. of State Request for  
an Estimate on Consequences  
of a Relaxation of Non-Communist  
Controls on Trade with the  
European Soviet Bloc.

5. Action: Agreed that ONE would promptly circulate copies of the request (as discussed by Mr. Howe) with draft terms of reference.

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Secretary's Notes:

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1. SNIE 11-54 was released

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20 February 1954.

2. The Board of National Estimates has recommended the non-release to any foreign government of NIE 10-54 (memo to IAC dated 12 February 1954). This proposal will not be reconsidered except upon request by a member agency.

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